

PRETTY CHURCH WEDDING
AT CARLISLE LAST WEEK

Miss Louise Bates and Mr. Lawrence J. Welch, Two of Carlisle's Most Popular Young People, Were Married on Wednesday of Last Week in the Methodist Church.

Carlisle, Dec. 3.—A wedding characterized by unusual picturesqueness in brilliancy was that of Miss Louise Bates and Lawrence James Welch, which was solemnized Wednesday evening in the Methodist Episcopal church.

The pulpit was banked high with ferns, in the midst of which three handsome candelabra held burning candles, the entire altar being covered with ferns and yellow chrysanthemums, while the chancel was lighted by the soft glow of innumerable yellow candles. Two tall pedestals holding candelabra completed the beautiful background for the bridal party. From a rope of smilax entwined with yellow chrysanthemums was suspended brass baskets filled with chrysanthemums and ferns, in the center being a large white bell under which vows were spoken. Bows of ribbon marked pews set aside for the families and friends. The guests who thronged the church were delighted with a beautiful musical program. Miss Aileen Deaver sang "Yours" and "I Love You Truly." At 7:30 o'clock the first strains of Lohengrin's wedding march were played by Miss Lannes Morgan. Unfolding the ribbons came little Misses Florence Deaver and Isabelle Hancock down opposite aisles; they wore frilled organdie dresses with tulle butterfly bows. The ushers, James K. Deaver and Dogan H. Arthur, took their places on opposite sides of the chancel; the bridesmaids dressed in short gowns of yellow crepe de chene and gold lace, carrying armfuls of yellow chrysanthemums, came in the following order, alternating with the groomsmen: Miss Elizabeth Deaver, Miss Delle Jeter, Miss Minnie Fleming and Miss Mary Ruth Thomas; Earle Bates, George Thomas, Malcome Johnstone and Wallace Ratchford. In single order the two dames, Mesdames Henry H. DuPre and James B. Pitts, sisters of the bride and groom, respectively, wearing trained gowns of pale blue pussy-willow taffeta fur trimmed, entered with golden chrysanthemums tied with tulle. Next came the maid of honor, Miss Mary Bates, the bride's twin sister, in thistle down taffeta with an arm bouquet; the groom, attended by his brother, Julian J. Welch, who acted as best man, met the bride at the altar. Little Grace and Evelyn Jeter, wearing dainty lingerie frocks, came scattering chrysanthemum petals in the bride's pathway; Master James Welch preceded the bride, bearing the ring in a large golden chrysanthemum. The bride entered on the arm of her father. She was very graceful and lovely in a gown of duchess charmeuse with hand-embroidered robe of pearls in court train, draped with orange blossoms. The veil fell in misty folds from a cap encircled with orange blossoms and she carried a cascade bouquet of bride's roses and valley lilies. The ring ceremony, during which Nevin's "Good Night" was softly played, was performed by Rev. J. E. Mahaffey of Batesburg, who officiated at the wedding of the bride's parents twenty-six years ago.

The processional reversed its order to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, going to the home of the bride's parents, where a reception was tendered the bridal party. Miss Sadie Gist met the guests and presented them to the receiving line, after which Mrs. Clarence A. Jeter invited them into the dining room. At the bride's table, on which was a tall cut glass vase of roses from which was suspended tulle to the corners of the table, sat Miss Sara Thomas and Mrs. W. B. May cutting cream. Cake and mints were served by Misses Agnes Severance and Rosa Ratchford, carrying out the color scheme. Mrs. James K. Deaver presided over the bride's register.

The young couple left on the south-bound train at ten o'clock for Florida, the bride wearing a chic suit of Russian green with accessories to match.

The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Bates, and the groom is a prominent farmer of Carlisle. It is a source of pleasure to the numerous friends of Mrs. Welch that she will reside in her home town.

Among the out-of-town guests were: Miss Agnes Severance of Timonville; Misses Ella Cross, Myrtle Suber, Lula Douan and Mr. and Mrs. James B. Pitts of Whitmire; Miss Lannes Morgan, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Sims and Miss Margaret Sims of Spartanburg; Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. DuPre of Abbeville; Dogan H. Arthur of Union; Malcome Johnstone of Newberry and Mr. and Mrs. Julian J. Welch of Shelton.

UNION PEOPLE
WELL PLEASED

Hon. John G. Woolley and Dr. Geo. W. Morrow Speak Sunday Evening. Large Audience to Hear Distinguished Men.

A large and representative gathering of Union people assembled in the First Baptist church Sunday evening to hear Hon. John G. Woolley and Dr. Geo. W. Morrow deliver addresses. The congregation of Grace Methodist church, with the pastor, Rev. J. L. Daniel, and the congregation of the First Presbyterian church, with the pastor, Rev. John F. Matheson, united with the congregation for the First Baptist church in this meeting.

The speeches were of a very high order. Dr. Morrow devoted most of his time to giving a history of the Anti-Saloon League of America, and outlining the work now in progress by this organization.

Mr. Woolley discussed "The Secret of Democracy." Both speeches were heard with delight by the audience. Dr. Morrow dealt largely in statistics but managed to inject a good bit of attractive side questions. Mr. Woolley spoke at length, and everyone who heard felt that they were listening to a master lecturer. Eloquent, sympathetic and convincing was this superb address. The liquor forces in Union county received a severe back-lash as a result of it. National prohibition seems nearer, far nearer, to the friends of the cause now than before the coming of these gentlemen.

ELKS HOLD LODGE OF SORROW.

Union Lodge, No. 1321, B. P. O. E., held a memorial service Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Edisona theatre. The principal address was delivered by Mr. Geo. R. Koester, editor of the Daily Piedmont, of Greenville, who is a very enthusiastic member of the order, and a man of marked ability. His address was listened to with great attention by the hearers, there being a theatre full of people to attend the exercises.

BOX SUPPER AND CAKE SALE.

The Ladies' Missionary society of Sulphur Springs Baptist church will have a box supper and cake sale at the home of Mr. C. C. Lancaster on December 15, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

The proceeds to be given to the Judson centennial fund.

AUTOS DO DAMAGE.

Besides the accident on the Buffalo road Sunday night there have been two others—one between Union and Monarch, in which a colored woman was thrown from a wagon by a collision with an automobile, and another accident occurred at the carnival Monday night when an automobile ran into one of the show stands and scattered the money, knocked down the box and caused consternation among the bystanders.

HAMES-GALLMAN.

Miss Emmie Hames and Mr. T. A. Gallman, both of Jonesville, were united in marriage Saturday, Dec. 4, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Lewis M. Rice, Union, S. C.

These young people have the best wishes of many friends throughout the county.

SHOWS HERE THIS WEEK.

The "Greater Dixie Shows" are here this week, beginning Dec. 6 and ending Dec. 11. The shows are here under the auspices of the Park and Playground association. A neat souvenir program has been gotten out by the company. The shows are on Main street, in front of the courthouse, and have attracted a great many people. The high diver, ferris wheel, merry-go-round, old plantation show and the usual attractions of a carnival are in evidence.

AN OYSTER SUPPER.

There will be a box supper and an oyster supper at Elford Grove school house on Friday evening, Dec. 17th, beginning at 8 o'clock. Everybody is invited to come. We hope to have Professor Hope and Miss Alsie Smith as speakers for the occasion.

LEAVES FOR FLORIDA.

Mr. Ellis Crosby left Monday night for Eastport, Fla., where he will take a position as stenographer with a large lumber concern. Mr. Crosby has for the past several months held a position as supply clerk and stenographer for the Wallace Mills at Jonesville. He has many friends throughout the county who wish him great success in his new position.

But the prettier a girl is the less sense other girls think she has.

POULTRY SHOW SATURDAY
Union County Chicken Breeders Will Exhibit Fancy Birds at Chamber of Commerce Beginning at 10 O'clock.

The Union County Poultry Show will be held here Saturday, Dec. 11, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. Prof. Frank C. Hare, who was the original organizer of the poultry clubs in this county two years ago, will be on hand to act as judge, and will also deliver an address on the occasion.

The exhibits will be directly in front of the Chamber of Commerce building, and on the pavement. The speaking will be in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. The speech will come after the judging of the birds exhibited. If the weather is inclement, the exhibits will be in the rear rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Mr. A. G. Kennedy, asks that the business men and all the progressive citizens of the town visit the exhibits and thus show an interest in this progressive movement.

The partial premium list is as follows:

Peoples Supply Co., five pounds of coffee; and one-half dozen waterin' troughs.

Gilliam Poultry Lard, one-half dozen pocket knives.

Pratts Food Co., three dozen packages of poultry food.

J. H. Wilkes & Co., one dozen packages of chicken feed.

J. Cohen, one-half dozen neckties.

McLure Mercantile Co., one dozen pair ladies' hose (heavy).

Citizens National Bank, \$2.00 in cash.

CAROLINA TEAM
REELECTS GOING

UNION BOY TO AGAIN LEAD GAMECOCKS.

Experienced Lineman—Big Fellow Made the Varsity in His Freshman Year—He is Now a Junior.

O. Going, of Union, for three years a member of the University of South Carolina football team, was reelected captain last night for the season of 1916. Mr. Going is a member of the junior law class.

At Carolina the men who are awarded block "C's" for their playing select the captain. Last night these men gathered and decided that their captain of 1915 should be their captain again during 1916.

Mr. Going has played at tackle and at guard on the university eleven. He made the varsity in his freshman year and since then has played in practically every minute of every game. A great big fellow, he is an experienced lineman and for three seasons has shown good football. He made Carolina a good captain during the season just ended.

Capt. Going is one of the most popular students on the Carolina campus and to his friends he is affectionately known as "Doc." His selection as captain for another season meets with approval among the university men.

EXCELSIOR WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Excelsior Woman's club held a most interesting and delightful meeting Tuesday afternoon at the reading room.

The meeting was presided over by the Misses McCutcheon and Mrs. Clarence McEachern gave a talk on home nursing, telling of the diseases prevalent at this season of the year and how to treat them; the simple home remedies and the care of the sick room.

Mrs. McEachern gave a demonstration of bathing and changing the patient in bed, also changing the bed linen without disturbing the patient. She has an earnest and convincing way of driving truths home and her lecture was thoroughly enjoyed by the members of the Excelsior Woman's club.

LEAVES FOR NEW HOME.

Rev. J. L. Daniel and family left this week for their new home in Abbeville. Mr. Daniel has been pastor of Grace M. E. church for four years and according to the rules of his church had to move this year.

He and his family have a warm place in the hearts of the people of this community and it is with regret that we give them up.

Abbeville is a good town and has a reputation of providing bountifully for their ministers.

Mr. Daniel is one of the strongest preachers of the conference, and is a man who wins the confidence of the people of the community. He is a fearless preacher of the gospel and is a broadminded and public spirited citizen. Union will miss the presence of this good man, who has for four years been so conspicuous a part of Union's life.

Rev. J. D. Croft of Kelton was in the city on Wednesday.

A manicure artist who could polish a man's brains would fill a long-felt want.

Union Oil Mill, one sack cotton seed meal.

J. Hay Fant, one bushel of Irish potatoes.

Bailey Furniture & Lumber Co., one-half dozen water pitchers.

Sanders Bros. Co., one-half dozen packages Sanders Special Coffee.

Glymph's Pharmacy, one large package poultry food.

Clark Clothing Co., handkerchiefs and case.

Stone-Jones Hardware Co., four glass water pitchers.

Union Clothing Co., one-half dozen initial handkerchiefs.

Palmetto Drug Co., one purse.

Wilburn Bros., two towels.

McClure Ten Cent Co., by C. D. Maxwell, Mgr., \$1.00 worth of toys.

C. Allen Co., one gingham dress.

The Wonder, one full dress shirt.

The Union Hardware Co., one roll 4 ft. poultry wire.

Sam Kassler, one-half dozen pair ladies' hose.

Fant Bros., \$1.00 worth of sugar.

Progress, one year's subscription.

A full list of the premiums and the winners will appear in next week's Times.

Mr. D. Fant Gilliam, Mr. Allan Nicholson and others, including Mr. A. G. Kennedy, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, have been strong supporters and promoters of the movement.

SHOWER FOR MISS WILBURN.

Cedar Hill, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Scafe Wilburn was the hostess at a miscellaneous shower on Tuesday afternoon at her lovely home when her sister, Miss Emma Wilburn, was the honor guest who will on the 14th become the bride of Mr. Maxey G. Crosby of Santee.

The parlor was beautifully decorated in red and white. In the dining room the color scheme of yellow and white was carried out. Refreshments were served consisting of cake and ambrosia served in orange baskets.

In the hall was a mail box which contained slips informing the bride where the numerous gifts were concealed.

Mrs. Wilburn was assisted in entertaining by Misses Eloise and Annie Wilburn.

BEAUTIFUL RECEPTION
GIVEN MRS. MCWHIRTER.

Jonesville, Dec. 8.—One of the most beautiful receptions of the season was that given on Wednesday afternoon by the John Hames Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy in honor of Mrs. James Lester McWhirter, the recently-elected president of the South Carolina division of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

The handsome home of Mrs. Francis Moorland Ellerbe was used by the chapter for this pleasant occasion. The entire lower floor was thrown open to the reception of the guests, and each room was a bower of red and white flowers, roses being used in the parlors and carnations in the dining room and library.

The guests were met at the door by Mrs. Addie Hames, Miss Anna Hames and Mrs. Ellerbe, who welcomed them and ushered them into the parlor where Mrs. Haddon Geer and Miss McWhirter introduced them to the guest of honor, Mrs. McWhirter, and the officers of the chapter, who received with her.

After a short while spent in general conversation the guests were invited into the dining room, where they were received by Mesdames E. H. Jeter and S. G. Southard. Here a most delightful salad course was served by a number of small girls, who were dressed in the Confederate colors. From the dining room the guests passed into the library, where Mesdames E. R. Aycock and C. C. McWhirter poured coffee.

Mrs. John T. Scott presented to the guest of honor a bouquet of carnations as the chapter's favor of the afternoon to her, and in a charming manner expressed the good wishes of the chapter members for her. The other guest favors were small Confederate flags.

The presence of the officers of the William Wallace chapter, the president of the Fish Dam chapter and a number of other guests added to the pleasure of the occasion. Among these were Mesdames F. M. Farr, Davis Jeffries, J. Frost Walker, J. W. Mixon, S. M. Jordan, Macbeth Young, L. J. Hames, Maude Garner, all of Union, Mrs. Oliver Sarraff of Fort Totten, N. Y., Mrs. W. B. May of Carlisle, Mesdames Hydrick and Littlejohn, Miss Poats of Charlottesville, Va., and Miss Rogers of Coleman, Ga.

"M. S. G."

Dr. Harry Hair has left for Allendale, at which place he is to practice dentistry. Mrs. Hair and Harry, Jr., will join him there after Christmas.—Columbia Record.

POPULAR YOUNG PEOPLE
MARRIED AT LAURENS

SERIOUS SHOOTING
AFFRAY MONDAY

John Sims, Colored, Shot by Ed. Sharp Hughes—Man May Be Fatally Injured.

John Sims, colored, was shot Monday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock by Ed Sharp Hughes, the affair occurring in "Poverty Flat." It is alleged that both men were together in the dispensary a few minutes before the shooting occurred. Hughes says negro cursed him and made as if to draw a pistol; he, seeing this, fired. Three shots were fired, two taking effect. One shot penetrated the abdomen, and necessitated an operation. The wound, though serious, may not prove fatal. Hughes surrendered immediately after the shooting.

HORSE RUN DOWN BY AUTO.

A horse ridden by J. T. Burgess, on his way to Buffalo from Union, was run down by an automobile driven by W. H. Bailey, coming towards Union. The horse's right hind leg was broken and he had to be killed. Burgess was knocked upon the radiator of the machine. The machine was considerably battered and damaged.

From what could be learned there was a wagon meeting the automobile, and the horse going to the left around the wagon was struck just as it got near the middle of the road by the automobile which was swerving to the right to go around the wagon. It seems that both parties in the accident were within their rights as to position, except that it is said the automobile was being rapidly driven. The accident happened Sunday night.

SHOWER FOR MISS BATES.

Carlisle, Dec. 2.—Saturday afternoon the home of of the Misses Thomas presented a lovely scene when they entertained at a kitchen shower in honor of Miss Louise Bates. The hall was attractive with pot plants and autumn leaves while quantities of fragrant fall roses added to the perfection of beauty in decoration in carrying out the color scheme of pink and green. The guests were welcomed by Mrs. W. B. May and Miss Ruth Thomas, and ushered into the parlor. Cards of miniature brides found places at the table exquisite in its decorations, having in the center on a lace spread a long handled basket tied with a bow of pink tulle and filled with bride's roses, the table candles were pink and were held in four candelabra with silver festoons.

Cut glass dishes held bon bons. Score cards were passed by Miss Sara Thomas, on which was to be written a menu for each day of the week. The judges, Mrs. Geo. C. Wood of Jonesville and Miss Sadie Gist awarded the prize, a miniature jockey bag, to Mrs. Julian J. Welch, a recent bride.

Master Gordan May, a trim little chef, entered at an unexpected moment with a large dishpan heaped with articles for the bride's kitchenette.

A salad course, with coffee, was served. Mrs. C. T. Coleman assisted the hostess in entertaining throughout the evening.

Miss Elizabeth Deaver delighted the company with several solos.

MRS. W. D. WAKEFIELD ILL.

The sad intelligence has been received by friends in Union of the desperate illness of Mrs. W. D. Wakefield, of Columbia. She has been in a very critical condition since Monday and the latest reports from her bedside are not encouraging. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wakefield have numerous friends throughout Union county who will be pained to hear of this.

Mrs. J. H. Bartles left Monday evening to be with Mrs. Wakefield.

FAIRFOREST CHAPTER, D. A. R.

The "Fairforest" chapter D. A. R. met Tuesday afternoon with Miss Mary Emma Foster and the hostesses serving with Miss Foster were Mrs. Paul K. Switzer and Miss Kathrin Layton.

Mrs. L. D. Childs of Columbia was an honor guest and gave a delightful talk.

The literary program consisted of a sketch of "Martha Bratton" by Mrs. Fred Garner and a sketch of "Esther Walker" by Mrs. J. W. Mixon.

Music was furnished by Mrs. Elias, a visitor from Asheville and a vocal solo by Miss Kathrin Layton.

The hostesses served a delicious salad course with coffee.

A BOX SUPPER.

There will be a box supper at the Farr school Saturday evening, Dec. 18, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited. The proceeds will go to the benefit of the school. Music and amusements will be furnished free. A good time is promised to all who attend.

The First Presbyterian
Church of Laurens Was a
Scene of Beauty on Wednesday of Last Week,
When Miss Marguerite
Simpson Became the
Bride of Dr. J. S. Morgan.

One of the most beautiful weddings ever solemnized in Laurens was that of Miss Marguerite Simpson and Dr. John Spencer Morgan of Union, at the First Presbyterian church Wednesday evening.

The church was decorated in ferns and trailing green vines against a white background. Preceding the ceremony was a musical program, Mrs. W. E. Lucas at the organ and Miss Nya Garner of Charleston singing, "O Promise Me" and "Because". Mr. Robert Roper sang "At Dawning."

At the strains of the wedding march the ushers led the way to the altar. The ushers were Messrs. Robert Roper, James Todd, Ernest Machen, Tom Lake. Following the ushers was the first bridesmaid, Miss Amelia Tode with Dr. J. W. Welborn, of Union, then came Miss Grace Thorn of Landrum with Mr. W. H. Morgan of Nashville, Tenn., followed by Miss Inez Morris of Pickens with Mr. J. C. Perrin, of Chattanooga, Tenn. Miss Vera Murrah with Mr. C. K. Morgan, both of Union, Miss Kathleen James and Dr. V. R. Hawkins, both of Union. Miss Mary Jones and Mr. Philip Flynn also of Union, Miss Margaret Webb of Nashville, Tenn., and Mr. D. C. Beaty of Union. The bridesmaids were all dressed in soft shades of green crepe-de-chine and messaline with trimmings of silver lace. They carried large bouquets of white carnations and ferns.

Mrs. Frank Caine and Mrs. Frank Spratt of Greenville were dames of honor. They wore dresses of white messaline and chiffon and carried armfuls of flowers and ferns.

The maid of honor was Miss Marguerite Simpson, the bride's only sister. She wore a beautiful dress of white satin and chiffon with pearls and silver lace and carried white roses.

The bride was a vision of beauty as she entered on the arm of her father, Mr. P. A. Simpson. Her handsome dress of pearl white charmeuse with soft lace trimmings was most becoming. The long veil was caught at the back with a wreath of orange blossoms and strings of pearl beads held it in place over her dark hair. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and maiden hair ferns.

Mr. R. P. Morgan, of Union, acted as best man for his brother, Dr. J. S. Morgan.

Rev. Charles F. Rankin said the ceremony which was particularly impressive, while a soft low music was being played.

After the ceremony at the church, the bridal party was entertained at a pretty reception at the home of the bride's parents. The house was brilliantly lighted and decorated with training vines and potted plants. The dining room was attractive with its center table covered with cluny lace and draped in tulle and smilax. Over a central mirror stood a vase of white carnations and ferns. Salad was served in here and coffee and cake were handed in the living room.

Miss Simpson is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Simpson and last year graduated from Chicora college. She is a girl of lovely character as well as face and form. She has many friends in her home town and throughout the State whose good wishes will follow her to her new home.

Dr. Morgan is a successful dentist of Union where he has lived for some years and has hosts of friends in the State and elsewhere who wish him continued success and happiness.

Dr. and Mrs. Morgan left that night for an extended trip.—Laurensville Herald.

DEATH OF MRS. ELLA GREGORY.

Mrs. Ella Gregory, wife of Mr. B. W. Gregory, died at her home at Otteray Tuesday at 10 o'clock in the morning.

Mrs. Gregory was stricken with paralysis Monday while working in Otteray mill, and never regained consciousness. She was a member of Mon-Aetna Baptist church and was a woman of high character. Her sudden death was a great shock to all her friends, and particularly to her husband and the four surviving children.

The burial was held at Mt. Tabor church Wednesday.

The more indignant some of our neighbors can grow over a scandal the more they seem to enjoy it.